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DAY PHOTO. CAMERA TYPES ARE A-HR308A (TEOC), B-F489 (TROC),
C-9885/64 (OOC). REF. (A) [REDACTED] SER.L01182, DTG 181145Z.

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NORTH VIETNAM CPFL ICOD 10 MAY 68. TWENTY-FIVE SA-2 SAM SITES
ARE COVERED BY THIS MISSION. NONE ARE OCCUPIED, 12 ARE UN-
OCCUPIED, 9 ARE IDENTIFICATION ONLY AND 4 ARE AREA IDENTIFICATION
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REPORT ON THIS MISSION. THIS MESSAGE SUPPLEMENTS INFORMATION
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PART I. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

B. NEW TARGETS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

ZZZ01:VN SSM AND SAM SEARCH SGM NONE CTY VN
NO SSM OR NEW SAM ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED

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ITMO2:DIEN BIEN PHU AIRFIELD SGM:519E CTY:VN 212340N1030035E
DES:0.5 NM NORTH OF DIEN BIEN PHU. NEW REPAIR ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED
AT THE NNW END OF THE 4,000-X 80-FT NNW/SSE LATERITE RUNWAY.
RUNWAY MARKERS ARE OBSERVED ON THE 1,650 FT SECTION (INCLUDING THE
OVERRUN) THAT APPEARS SERVICEABLE (NO REPAIR ACTIVITY OR RUNWAY
MARKERS ARE OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] PHOTOGRAPHY). AT THE SSE END OF
THE RUNWAY, TWO LARGE BOMB CRATERS ARE BEING FILLED. BULLDOZER
SCRAPING IS OBSERVED IN THIS AREA, BUT THE VEHICLE IS NOT OBSERVED
AT TIME OF PHOTOGRAPHY. THIS IS THE FIRST MAJOR RECONSTRUCTION
ACTIVITY OBSERVED AT THE AIRFIELD IN THE LAST TWO YEARS. AN LI-2
CAB TRANSPORT-TYPE AIRCRAFT IS OBSERVED FLYING IN A NORTHERLY
DIRECTION IMMEDIATELY NE OF THE AIRFIELD. NO RECONSTRUCTION
OF SUPPORT FACILITIES IS OBSERVED.
AOB:1 LI-2 CAB TRANSPORT IN FLIGHT.

30035E	LEG	
30035E	PROD	3
30035E	SCIENCE	
30035E	WEST	
30035E	EAST	45
30035E	M&S	25X1
30035E	PGM	
30035E	OBSERVED	6
30035E	DIA-XX4	
30035E	SPAD	7
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ZZZ03:CABLE BRIDGE (NEW) SGM NONE CTY VN 212340N1030105E
A NEWLY IDENTIFIED CABLE BRIDGE IS OBSERVED UNDER CONSTRUCTION
IMMEDIATELY EAST OF DIEN BIEN PHU AT UTM TJ945668 AT THE JUNCTION
OF ROUTES 191 AND 119. THE BRIDGE CONSISTS OF AT LEAST FOUR CABLES.
NO DECKING IS OBSERVED.

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PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE

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